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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER Attorney Docket No: **Under Small Entity Status** 1796021US1AP blication Serial Number: Filing Date: Examiner: Group Art Unit: 7/2/2003 10/613,060 C. Boswell 3676 Invention: THEFT DETERRENT DEVICE TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS: Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below. **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** HIGHEST NUMBER **CLAIMS REMAINING** NO. OF EXTRA ADDITIONAL AFTER AMENDMENT PREVIOUSLY PAID **CLAIMS** RATE FEE PRESENT FOR **TOTAL CLAIMS** 19 **MINUS** 20 0 \$9.00 \$0 INDEP. CLAIMS 3 **MINUS** 3 \$43.00 \$0 Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Office Action of ______ to and through _____, comprising an extension of the shortened statutory period of: one month \$55 three months \$475 five months \$1005 two months\$210 four months \$740 TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT 0.00 Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted. A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$_____ is attached. Charge \$ to Deposit Account . X No additional fee is required. *ل - 15 - 04* Date Fred H. Zollinger Reg. No. 39,438 I hereby certify that this correspondence and all correspondence identified as accompanying this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-

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AMENDMENT "A"

In response to the Office Action dated March 18, 2004, the Applicant respectfully requests consideration of the following remarks.